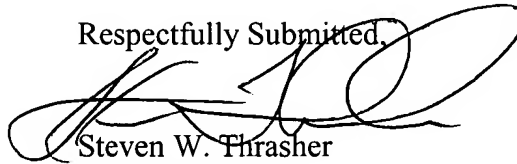


REMARKS

The Examiner states that the application contains claims directed to patentably distinct species. Applicant elects species 1, claims 1-9.

If the Examiner has any other matters which remain, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the under signed attorney to resolve these matters by Examiners Amendment where possible.

Respectfully Submitted,

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